

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 134
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 134.
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 4.1.5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Boothaughwee	Kilmaeduegh	.	.	.	298	.	1½
John Slator	Beagh	59	13	5½	293	4	11¼
do	Hiltaton	24	3	9	182	7	2½
Boothaughwee	Kilivarra	.	.	.	354	19	4
Mich Taylor	Killeenavara	26	11	5	257	3	7½
do	Killeen	.	.	.	122	.	11
do	Ardrakan	4	.	.	393	6	11
John Slator	Hiltomas	19	11	4½	129	2	8½
Boothaughwee	Kilkeacanty	.	.	.	163	14	5
do	KilKeedy	.	.	.	155	.	10½
Total -		134	.	.	2349	1	0¼

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

Galway Council

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 53 . 8 . 11½d.

Debit Provision Account, }	£ s. d.
Credit Invoice Account, }	53. 8. 11½

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 52.9.0

Debit Maintenance Account, }	£ s. d.
Credit Provision Account, }	52.9.0

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 3/-

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1560 lly of bread
- 2240 qrs of milk
- 118 lly of meat
- 1 cwt of salt
- 14 lb candles

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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Debit Clothing Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.

Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3 Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:

Quiltemen Got Workhouse Oct 1st 1847

I have to report since this day week 5 deaths, 1 from dysentery, 1 from Convulsion, and 3 from fever.—
 admissions since this day week in fever ——— 15
 discharged cured ——— 18
 died ——— 3
 remaining in fever Hospital ——— 98

I beg to direct the attention of the guardians to the necessity of urging on the creation of convalescent wards for the fever patients. Two of the upper dormitories on each side of the house, are already taken up with ordinary sick cases of the house, and until the fever patients are removed from the Infirmary, the latter cannot be enlarged so as to give the required accommodation. Besides the advantage of maintaining a proper Hospital accommodation, if the Infirmary were enlarged by raising the sick ward, it would give considerable workhouse accommodation, no trifling consideration, at a moment when there is such pressure on your space.— I am &c Martin Dholan Secy

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 30 Sep^r respecting the house lately taken from Viscount Gort, and requesting to be informed of the accommodation the house will afford.

Letter from same 30 Sep^r in reference to the above and calling on the Guardian to make provision for increased applications by transferring the Infirmary classes & children to a temporary Workhouse.

Resolved that in consequence of the Workhouse being full this day the Com^{rs} be requested to sanction the immediate removal of the children to the house taken from Viscount Gort, which is capable of containing all the children at present in the Workhouse, with the Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress and sixty more, and that our Clerk be directed to inform the Commissioners of the extent of accommodation the House will afford.

Read letter from Public Works Loan Com^{rs} 25th Sep 1847, calling for payment of £203⁰ and 4th instalment amt^t £52.10.0. in repayment of loan for £350.

Read Warrant of Lord Lieutenant 27th Sep 1847, for payment of £14 under 10th Act.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Prepare Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	123
Ditto, disallowed	- - - -	16
The number of Applicants admitted was	- - - -	51
Ditto, rejected	- - - -	3

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Mr Kelly Printer having applied for a cheque for his acct as follows. —

Sep 1845 .	_____	11.0.0
Sep 1846 .	_____	6.6.7
		<u>£ 17.6.7</u>

Resolved that a cheque be drawn for the above. —

Resolved that the Collectors having attended this day, and produced their accounts they be now directed to use all means which the Law gives them to enforce the payment of Rates, and do attend on this day fortnight to report what has been done. —

Resolved that we sanction the continuance of the joint Fever Hospital for the Electoral divisions of Kinnearra & Killeenavara as now established, so long as their present Funds being the balance in hands of the Relief Committees of the two Electoral divisions, shall enable them to do so. —

The Guardians having received a recommendation from their building Committee, to at once advertise for Tenders, to increase the

workhouse accommodation by extending the present male and female rooms and dormitories as pointed out on the Commission's workhouse plans, and also to increase the Hospital accommodation by raising the Idiot Wards, as laid down on the same plan.

Resolved that the Commissioners be requested to sanction the above work, and to direct their Architect to furnish the necessary plans and specification, and also to sanction a loan for the purpose from the Public Works Loan Commissioners. —

Resolved that the Government Inspector Major Burns, be requested to send to the Poorhouse all the sacks, implements, Meal &c. belonging to the several Relief Committees of this Union, and that our clerk be directed to pay for the carriage of the same, and give receipts accordingly. —

Resolved that the letter received from Messrs Keane and Birmingham applying for payment of their bill for clothing delivered be forwarded to the Commissioners.

Resolved that in consequence of the illness of Mr Richd Kelly, Relieving Officer for Kinnearra the Guardians of that Electoral division, be authorized to employ a substitute during the illness of Mr Kelly.

James Slator
Clerk

F. M. Shawe Taylor
Dein J. Hayes
Pat Sheehan

F. M. Shawe Taylor
15th Oct 1847 Chairman

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 2 day of Oct 1847

	ADMITTED.					DISCHARGED.					DIED.										
	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	
During the Week ended as above,	30	42	25	28	7				132	12	11	5	8		2	38	2		1		
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	127	177	122	122	12			560	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.												
									No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.									
TOTAL,	157	219	147	150	19			692	In Work-house, } 40	In separate Wards, }	In Wards with other Inmates, }										
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	14	11	6	8	3			42	In Fever Hospital, }	100	3										
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	143	208	141	142	16			650	Total, }	140	3										
Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 500																					
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday, the 15 day of Oct 1847																					

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on day, the day of 184

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

No meeting held on Friday the 8th day of October 1847. The Chairman only attending

James Slator
Clerk

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. — to No. —, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

Galway County Council

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 9 day of Octo — 1847

	ADMITTED.							DISCHARGED.							DIED.					
	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	
						Males.	Fe-males.													
During the Week ended as above,	16	22	15	11	3	.	.	67	16	20	8	8	2	54	4	1	.	1	.	6
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	143	208	141	142	16	.	.	650	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
	OBSERVATIONS In case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.																			
TOTAL,	159	220	156	153	19	.	.	717	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.										
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	20	21	8	9	2	.	.	60	In Work-house, } 59	In separate Wards, }	In Wards with other inmates, }									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	139	209	148	144	17	.	.	657	In Fever Hospital, } 46	Total, }	3									
									Total, }	158	Total, }	3								

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 500. —
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 22 day of Octo — 1847

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tue day, the 15 day of Octo — 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt F. M. Shawe Taylor.
 Other Guardians:
 Lord Vis. Gort John Martin Double Major Kecker
 James Cahiff Capt Cahiff Denis Skyles,
 Pat O'Shaughnessy Terence Skyles

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3259 to No. 3572, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

Galway County Council

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 252. 1. 1
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 203. 6. 9
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 52. 15. 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Milwacduagh	Boothayphesy	24	4	7	273	15	6 1/2
Beagh	Inoslato	46	11	4 1/2	246	13	6 3/4
Kiltanton	do				182	7	2 1/2
Muirarra	Boothayphesy	9	1	1	345	18	3
Milleenavara	Mr Taylor	15	7	3 1/2	241	16	4
Milleen	do	2	13	6	119	7	5
Ardrakan	do	89	2	2 1/2	304	4	8 1/2
Miltown	Inoslato	21	18	7 1/2	107	4	1
Milleacounty	Boothayphesy	39	15	6 1/2	123	15	10 1/2
Milkeedy	do	3	8	10 1/2	157	17	
Total		252	1	19 11 1/4			

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

week ending 29 Sept 25. 0. 3 1/2
 2 Oct 58. 14. 11 3/4
 9 124. 15. 5 1/4

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 124. 15. 5 1/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, } 124. 15. 5 1/4
 Credit Invoice Account, }
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 125. 15. 3 3/4

week ending 29 Sept 39. 2. 9 1/2
 2 Oct 27. 14. 11 1/4
 9 63. 1. 7 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, } £ 125. 15. 3 3/4
 Credit Provision Account, }

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/11

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1699 lbs of bread
- 2780 gals of milk
- 82 lbs of meat
- 160 of salt
- 14 lbs candles

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Clothing Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

Circular of Commissioners, 6 Oct. 1847, respecting the Maintenance of Temporary Hospitals for Fever patients.

Letter from same 7 Oct. 1847 with regard to the erection of additional sheds for Fever patients, and wishing the Guardians to consider, whether a ward for 60 patients will not be required, and also if a permanent Hospital should be built, whether it would be expedient to obtain a separate site for the Building.

Letter from same 7 Oct. stating that the money to pay Messrs. & Co. Birmingham for clothing will shortly be remitted.

Letter from same 7 Oct. giving their sanction to the removal of the children to the House taken from Viscount Gort, - also to the erection of additional buildings to the Workhouse, but stating that they cannot

hold out any prospect of a loan for the purpose.

Circular from same 11 Oct. desiring the Guardians to review the subject for contracts for provisions and other supplies, and the state of Bedding & Clothing, so as to be prepared for any accession to the number of inmates.

Letter from same 14 Oct. approving of the Scale of Dietary recommended by the Medical Officer.

Letter from same 14 Oct. 1847, enclosing letter from Samuel O'Brien, applying for payment of £226, for erecting Fever Sheds.

Resolved that the Commissioners be informed, that the Fever Sheds have been completed by Mr. O'Brien, and are now occupied, and he is entitled to the sum of £226 the amt of his contract.

The consideration of erecting convalescent Sheds is postponed to next Board day, in consequence of the lateness of the hour.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	50
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of Applicants admitted was	41
Ditto, rejected	23

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Resolved that our Relieving Officers be enjoined upon no account to give a ticket of admission, to this Workhouse, to applicants whose sole claim, on Relief is, that they are suffering from Fever,

If Paupers in Fevers apply for admission, their cases, are to be dealt with precisely according to the same Rule, as if they were in health. —

all applications, to be entered on application and report Book,

No provisional admissions to be given, except in cases where a refusal would, (in the Relieving Officers opinion) produce consequences dangerous to life or health.

Resolved that our Clerk do advertise for a Schoolmistress for the Govt Union, at a salary of £20 and Rations, — and the present Schoolmistress, who was only appointed provisionally be informed of it. —

Resolved that the Board do meet every Friday at the hour of 11 O'clock, precisely instead of 1/2 past 12, on account of the great pressure of business, and our Clerk be directed to give information accordingly, to all the Guardians. —

Resolved that the Commissioners be referred to our Minutes of the 3^d Sept^r for the terms of agreement with Lord Dis. Govt for the House taken for the Schools —

Resolved that a copy of the Medical Officers Report, as laid before the Board be forwarded to the Commissioners. —

Resolved that the Medical Officer be requested to attend Mr Burke Commissioner on tomorrow to arrange further accommodation in the Infirmary. —

Mary Hyne having applied for payment of her acct. for Coffins supplied to the Workhouse to 29 Sept last Amt. £40.5.3

Resolved that a cheque be drawn for the above

Messrs Leslie having applied for payment of their accounts as follows.

Sept 1845	11.17.3
March 1846	10.19.10
Sept 1846	10.5.2
March 1847	6.13.9
	£ 39.16.0

Resolved that a cheque be drawn for the above

James Stator
Clerk

F. M. Shawe Taylor
Denis J. Hyne
Terence Hyne

A. J. Shawe Taylor
22^d Oct^r 1847
Chairman

Govt. UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 16 day of Oct 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.					DIED.						
	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Females. TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	16	20	18	24	2	90	13	24	17	9	1	64	2	2	.	.	.	4
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	139	209	148	144	17	657	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	155	229	166	168	19	747	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.							
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	15	26	17	9	1	68	In Work-house, 391	In separate Wards,	In Wards with other inmates,									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	140	203	149	159	18	679	In Fever Hospital, 49	Total, 140	Total, 3									

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 500
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 29 day of October 1847

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday, the 22 day of October 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, F. Melshaw Taylor
Other Guardians: Mr. Major Bennett, James Cahiff & Blaquiere Henry Cahiff

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3572 to No. 3617, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

Galway County Council

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ _____
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ _____
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £52.15.9
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ _____ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Ed Shaughnessy	Kilnashogue	273	15	6 1/2			
John Slator	Beagh	246	18	6 1/4			
do	Kiltartow	182	7	2 1/2			
Ed Shaughnessy	Kilnashogue	345	18	3			
Michl Taylor	Kilkeeran	241	16	4			
do	Kilkeeran	119	7	5			
do	Ardrahan	304	4	8 1/2			
John Slator	Kiltomas	107	4	1			
Ed Shaughnessy	Kilkeeran	123	15	10 1/2			
do	Kilkeeran	151	17				
Total		2096	19	11 1/4			

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £126.19.6 1/4

Debit Provision Account, } - - - - - £ 126.19.6 1/4
 Credit Invoice Account, }

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £62.4.1 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, } - - - - - £ 62.4.1 1/4
 Credit Provision Account, }

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/11

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1800 lbs of bread
- 2716 qrs of Milk
- 86 lbs of meat
- 1 lb of Salt
- 28 lbs candles
- 1 lb of soap

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Clothing Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

1. Establishment Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.

Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:

Medical officer's report

Deaths, since this day week 10
 two from Fever one from Convulsions
 one from small pox, one from Rupture
 of a blood vessel, two from General
 Decay, and three from Dysentery.—
 admissions in Fever this week — 18
 discharged cured ————— 7
 died of Fever ————— 2
 Remaining in Fever Hospital — 100

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

Letter from Commissioners 15 Oct 1847 enclosing letter from Public Loan Commissioners calling for payment of 2^d 3^d & 4th instalments amt £52.10 due on loan of £350

Letter from Commissioners 21 Oct approving of appointment of Mr Robt Bell, as Revisor of the Valuation of the Union

Letter from same giving their sanction to the alteration of the hour of meeting

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	-	-	29
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	-	-
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	-	78
Ditto, rejected	-	-	-	12

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Resolved That we take steps forthwith, to erect a mill on the Workhouse premises, to be worked by Manual labour, and to be fit for grinding wheat Oats and Indian Meal.

Tho' Walsh Butcher having applied for payment of his accounts for meat delivered as follows viz—

September 1846	8.1.7 ¹ / ₂
March 1847	22.18.7 ³ / ₄
	<u>£ 31.0.3¹/₄</u>

Resolved that a cheque be drawn for the above.

Mr Tho' D O Farrell Solicitor having applied to the Board for payment of a bill of costs amt £15.7.9 incurred in the cause of Armstrong against the Guardians

It was proposed by James Lahiff & seconded by Tho' Double Major Vereker and Resolved Unanimously.

That a cheque be drawn on our Treasurer in favour of Tho' D Farrell for the above.

Resolved that a cheque be drawn on our Treasurer in favour of our Clerk for the sum of sixty pounds, to pay for Bread, and to be accounted for by him.

Resolved that the report of the Medical Officer as now read be copied & forwarded to the Commissioners.

Resolved that the subscribers to the Dublin Cow Dock Institution, and that our Clerk do forward the subscription

J. Melhame Taylor

J. Lahiff

S. Kenderjast Vereker

J. D. Shaw Taylor
Chairman

29 Oct 1847

James Slator
Clerk

Port UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 23 day of Oct 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.					DIED.						
	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Fe-males. TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	19	27	33	9	3	91	10	19	5	13	1	48	4	5	1	1	11	
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	140	213	149	159	18	679	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	159	240	182	168	21	770	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS In case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.									
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	14	24	5	14	2	59	In Work-house, 105	In separate Wards, 47	In Wards with other inmates, 3									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	145	216	177	154	19	711	Total, 152	Total, 3										

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 500.
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 5 day of Nov 1847

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Fri day, the 29 day of October 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt J M Skewes Taylor

Other Guardians:
J. M. Major, Verker, Est Hunt, Est Blaquiere
James Cahiff, Denis Skyes, Pat O'Roughnessy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2617 to No. 3817, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the

Guardians was - - - - - £ 52.15.9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Edhaughney	Kilmaeduff	273	15	6 1/2			
John Slater	Beagh	246	13	6 1/2			
do	Hiltantow	182	7	2			
Edhaughney	Knivarra	346	7	3			
Mich Taylor	Killeenavara	241	16	4			
do	Killeener	119	7	5			
do	Ardrakan	304	4	8 1/2			
John Slater	Kiltouca	107	4	1			
Edhaughney	Killeacarty	123	15	10 1/2			
do	Kilkeedy	157	17				
Total, -		2096	19	11 1/2			

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 56.12.3 3/4.

Debit Provision Account,	}	-	-	-	56.12.3 3/4
Credit Invoice Account,					

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 74.5.9 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account,	}	-	-	-	74.5.9 1/4
Credit Provision Account,					

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/10

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1700 lbs of Bread
- 2800 qts Milk
- 78 1/2 lbs Meat
- 1 lb Salt
- 28 lbs Candles
- 1 lb Soap.

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Clothing Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

Order respecting the duties of collectors, and directing additional Books to be kept by them.

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

Letter 26 Oct 1847 from Commsrs objecting to the present site of the burial ground, and requesting the Guardians to provide a site, not less than a quarter of a mile from the Workhouse.

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Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	-	-	15
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	-	-
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	-	126
Ditto, rejected	-	-	-	22

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

The following applications for the office of Schoolmistress, have been received and read,
From, Cathie Moran, Francis Lydia Moore,
and Mrs J P Taggart. —

Resolved that the consideration of the above, be postponed to this day week. —

Mary Jennings apt Hospital Nurse attended the Board, Resigned her office,
Resolved that the Resignation of Mary Jennings be accepted. —

Resolved that our Clerk do advertise for contracts for Bread Milk, Meat, Indian Meal, Wine, Rice Tea, Sugar, Soap, Candles, Salt and Turf, for three months from the 5th Nov next. —

Resolved that a cheque be drawn on our Treasurer in favour of our Clerk for Forty pounds, to pay for Bread and Indian Meal, and to be accounted for by him. —

James Slater
Clerk. —

Frederick Taylor
Edmund
Denis & Hyne

J. Pennington
Chairman

Nov. 5th 1867.

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RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 30 day of Octo 1847

	ADMITTED.							DISCHARGED.					DIED.						
	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
						Males.	Females.												
During the Week ended as above,	25	40	39	33	7			104	14	19	5	6	1	45	2	1	2		27
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	110	216	212	154	19			711											
TOTAL,	135	256	251	187	26			835											
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	16	20	7	6	3			52											
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	119	236	244	181	23			803											

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.

No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.
In Work-house, { 63	In separate Wards, {	
In Fever Hospital, { 101	In Wards with other inmates, { 3	
Total, 164	Total, 3	

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 500
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 12 day of Nov 1847

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tue day, the 5 day of Nov 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Stouble S. Verker
 Other Guardians:
James Daly Thos Lynch W. Lahiff
Pet O'Shaughnessy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3677 to No. 3868, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 388.17.10
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 438.9.0
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 2.6.9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.
 The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Edw O'Shaughnessy	Kilnacduagh	61	3	6 1/2	212	12	
John Stator	Keagh	47	18	10	198	14	8 1/2
do	Kittantow	58	14	1 1/2	123	13	0 1/2
E O'Shaughnessy	Kilvarra	39	14	2	306	4	1
Mich Taylor	Kilkenavara	19	17	5	221	18	11
do	Killeeneen	14	16	3	104	11	2
do	Ardrakan	46	9	11	257	14	9 1/2
John Stator	Kiltomas	55	8	3 1/2	51	15	9 1/2
E O'Shaughnessy	Kilbeacanty	30	12	1 1/2	93	3	9
do	KilKeedy	14	3	2	137	13	10
Total -		388	17	10 1/4	1708	2	1 1/4

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Pooling List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 59. 7 s. 3 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, } - - - - - £ 59. 7. 3 1/2
 Credit Invoice Account, } - - - - -

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 75. 10. 7 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, } - - - - - £ 75. 10. 7 1/2
 Credit Provision Account, } - - - - -

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 2/-
 The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1800 lb of Bread
- 2700 qts Milk
- 80 lb of Meat
- 1 cwt of Salt
- 28 lb of Candles
- 1 cwt Soap

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Clothing Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.

Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3 Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:

Medical officer reports 6 deaths since this day week, 3 from fever & 3 from Dysentery.

Admissions in fever since this day week _____ 24

discharged cured _____ 19

Died : _____ 3

Remaining : _____ 100

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

Letter 29 Oct from Robt Fisher Manager of Provincial Bank, forwarding Copy of Notice from Relief Commissioners, stating sums chargeable to Electoral divisions under 10 Vict Chap 7, and directing him to pay to the paymaster of Civil Service, all Rate, which shall be collected,

Letter from same 1st Nov stating that he had received authority to honor the cheques of the Guardians. —

Letter from Clerk of Loughrea Union 1st Nov stating that Miss Moran who was a candidate for the office of Schoolmistress, will not be allowed to leave a similar situation, which she holds, at Loughrea Workhouse. —

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, 4th Nov in reference to a cheque for £50, drawn in favour of the Clerk, to pay for Bread, requesting the Guardians to urge on the

Collection of Rates in order that this practice may be discontinued. —

Letter from same 4th Nov suggesting to the Guardians the propriety of taking Contracts, for six months, instead of three. —

Letter from same 4th Nov accompanied by Memorials from Residents of Killeen Parish, praying for admission to the Workhouse or Outdoor Relief.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	-	-	24
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	-	12
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	-	36
Ditto, rejected	-	-	-	26

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Resolved that to accommodate the increased number of applicants this day, requiring admission, our Master be authorized to purchase some Blankets, not exceeding 25 in number, for the immediate wants of the House.

Resolved that application be made to the Board of Ordnance requesting that they will if possible supply the Union, with any Bedding which may be disposable, and that Capt Roy Barrack Master be requested, to forward this resolution with his recommendations.

Resolved that Margaret Harte recommended by Miss O'Donnell Teacher of the National School (Presentation Convent Galway) be appointed Schoolmistress for the female school of this Union, at a salary of £16 per Annum, with Kitchens and apartments and that in consideration of her youth, her mother be required to reside with her.

Resolved that with reference to the Parish of Killeen, Memorial from the Inhabitants of the Parish of Killeen, forwarded to us in the Commissioner's letter of the 11th Inst. we beg to say that no such Memorial was ever delivered to this Board, that we have had a relieving officer for the District of which this Parish is part, since the 27 of August, and that on examination of him, we have learned, that in his opinion no such distress as represented exists.

that on examination of relieving officers application and report Book, we find that some applications have been made from the Parish, in every case the parties have been admitted, whilst in other districts there have been refusals, The Guardians however have made arrangements for establishing more places for applications, in this and other districts and given the relieving officers a list of the parties signing the Memorial, with a view to an examination of their condition.

A letter having been received from the Medical Officer, drawing attention to the presence of Small Pox, the clothing of children and ventilation of the House.

Resolved that the visiting committee do provide additional clothing for the Infants, wood for making Cradles, and do make arrangements for carrying out the improvements suggested in the ventilation of the House.

Resolved that the following Tenders for provisions and necessaries be agreed to for six months.

Mich Murphy for 300 Boxes of Lard at 7 per Box
 Mich Cornican for 500 do do at 7¹/₂
 Denis Keane for New Milk at 10 per Gallon
 do for Skin Milk at 6 per Gallon
 do for Soap at £1.15.0 per Cwt.
 do for Salt at 2/6 per Cwt.
 J Rosegrave for Indian meal at £11 per Ton
 Denis Keane for Straw at 2/1 per Ton.

Resolved that the Collection of Edw. O'Shaughnessy appearing most unsatisfactory, our Clerk call upon him to prepare and give to the Board, on their next day of Meeting, a list of persons owing Rates to the amount of £2. and upwards, with a view to our taking proceedings for the recovery thereof, and that our Clerk do write to O'Shaughnessy, securities to inform them, that unless he uses greater exertion, they will be proceeded against for a forfeiture of the Penalty.

That with respect to the Collection of John Slator he shall be called upon at once to serve the necessary Notices against the Messrs McKern & Butler who appear in arrears of their Rates, and proceed against them as by law directed, that Slator & Taylor our remaining Collectors furnish a similar list to that required from O'Shaughnessy

Mundayast Verelker
J Lahiff
Pat^r O'Shaughnessy

James Slator Clerk

H. O'Shaughnessy
Chairman
12th Nov 1847

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RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 6 day of Nov 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.					
	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	19	25	22	18	5	89	14	17	15	5	1	52	1	2	1	3	7	
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	119	236	244	181	23	803	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	138	261	266	199	28	892	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.							
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	15	19	16	8	1	59	In Work-house, } 103	In separate Wards, }	In Wards with other inmates, }									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	123	242	250	191	27	833	In Fever Hospital, } 83	Total, } 786	Total, } 3									
Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 500. Shed, 100 Bridg-house 250																		
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 19 day of Nov 1847																		

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 12 day of Nov 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt F Mchauer Taylor.
Other Guardians: Jas Lahiff, J G albraith Ed Hunt, Pat O'Shaughnessy.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2565 to No. 2957, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk Reports that he forwarded a Copy of the Resolution (applying for ordnance Bedding) to Capt. Roy Barrack Master Gort.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £2, 6, 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Edw O'Shaughnessy	Hillwoodagh	2	12	12			
John Slator	Beagh	198	14	8 1/4			
do	Hillaton	123	13	0 1/2			
Ed O'Shaughnessy	Kiivarra	306	4	1			
Mich Taylor	Hilleenavara	221	18	11			
do	Hilleenew	104	11	2			
do	ardrahem	257	14	9 1/2			
John Slator	Hiltomas	51	15	9 1/2			
Ed O'Shaughnessy	Hilleenacanty	98	3	9			
do	HillKeedy	137	13	10			
Total -					1708	2	1 1/4

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 62. 39 s. 10 3/4 d.

Debit Provision Account,	£	s.	d.
Credit Invoice Account,	62.	39.	10 3/4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 86. 9. 10 1/2			
Debit Maintenance Account,			
Credit Provision Account,	86.	9.	10 1/2

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/10 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1745 lbs Bread
- 3400 g Milk
- 73 lbs Meat
- 2 cwt Salt
- 1 cwt Soap
- 2 cwt Candles

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Clothing Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

1. Establishment Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Invoice Account.

Debit Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:

Gentlemen
 Got Workhouse 12th Nov 1847

I have to report 6 deaths, since this day week, 3 from Dysentery 2 from fever, and one from Small Pox. admissions in fever since this day week 23 discharged cured 14 died 2 remaining in fever Hospital 107 Twenty of the above admissions were from the workhouse The sick list this morning stands thus— In fever including convalescents 107 Dysentery 34 Small Pox 32 other diseases 25

Total = 198

I beg to remark that the Bed-clothes in the fever shed, are very deficient—especially sheets, beds and pillow cases. Indeed the same holds good in the Disentery ward, but the shed being so much colder. I have to request your immediate attention to the matter—

The increase of salary you were good enough to award me on the 9th July having expired on the 1st of this month, I hope you will be so kind, as to take the matter into consideration this day—

I remain &
 Martin D. Nolan
 M.D.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

Letter 6 Nov. 1847 from Mr. Rickwood & Co. calling for payment of £5 "46" instalments, amt. £975, in repayment of Workhouse Loan.

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Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	-	-	-	10
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	-	-	"
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	-	-	58
Ditto, rejected	-	-	-	-	17

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

The Clerk reports the receipt and consumption of Provisions for the following weeks, in the last half year during the Master's illness —

	Received	Consumed
Week ending 12 June	53.15.7 $\frac{1}{2}$	57.6.4
19 th	61.9.10	57.7.0 $\frac{1}{2}$
26 th	65.7.8 $\frac{1}{4}$	61.9.11 $\frac{1}{4}$
3 rd July	58.6.5 $\frac{1}{4}$	65.19.6 $\frac{1}{4}$
10 th	81.4.4 $\frac{1}{2}$	73.5.4 $\frac{1}{2}$
17 th	80.12.6	75.1.8 $\frac{1}{4}$
24 th	65.3.11	74.19.2
31 st	74.11.8 $\frac{1}{4}$	76.4.4
7 Aug ^t	82.4.4 $\frac{1}{4}$	78.14.5 $\frac{1}{4}$
14 th	111.16.6	73.2.8
21 st	67.15.7	73.4.8
28 th	67.18.0 $\frac{1}{4}$	67.17.11
4 Sept	61.12.11 $\frac{1}{2}$	65.5.1 $\frac{1}{4}$
11 th	63.19.1 $\frac{1}{2}$	67.7.0 $\frac{1}{2}$

Resolved that the above not having been heretofore reported on our Minutes, be included in the accounts for the last half year.

Notices were submitted by the several relieving officers, appointing places in their districts, for receiving applications which have been approved of by the Board.

Resolved that our Visiting Committee be directed to provide material for clothing for 100 suits for Men, 100 for Women, 50 suits for Boys, 100 suits for Girls, and 50 for the younger children of the material heretofore in use

and leather for 100 pairs of shoes —

Resolved that the Master and Schoolmaster do select 24 of the most intelligent & promising of the Schoolboys, and report their names, to the Visiting Committee, and that they be employed under a Tailor and Shoemaker, to learn those trades and perform the work of the house, and that our Clerk do order a Table and Needle for the Tailors, and six Shoemaker boxes with Tools for the Shoemaker, that he make enquiries as to the terms, on which an efficient Tradesman will undertake to teach the number of boys, and report the same at our next Meeting.

Resolved that William Barner and Alicia Barner be appointed Warden and Wardress and do receive officers Rations —

Resolved that our Solicitor be directed to proceed immediately against the following persons, Mr Francis Butler, Rich Wrenin and Tho Wrenin Esqrs, in the Collection of John Slater.

Ordered with reference to the report of the Medical officer, that the Master do supply Pillow cases from the store, and that the question of purchasing additional bed covering, be postponed to this day week, when we hope to receive an answer to our application to the Ordnance department

Resolved that a full meeting of the Guardians be called for this day fortnight to take into consideration the Doctors Salary.

Resolved that a cheque be drawn on our Treasurer in favour of our Clerk for the sum of Seventy pounds to pay for Provision, and to be accounted for by him.

Resolved that one of the Relief Committee Boilers be set in the Kitchen of the Bridge house School.

F. M. Shawe Taylor
Chairman

Ed Hunt
P. M. O'Shaughnessy

James Hutton Clerk.

S. M. Shawe Taylor
Chairman
19th Nov 1847

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Govt UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 13 day of Nov 1847

	ADMITTED.					DISCHARGED.					DIED.								
	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Females aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	10	21	21	16	3			71	3	18	14	9	44	4	2	1	2	1	10
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	173	242	250	191	27			893	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.										
											No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.				
TOTAL,	183	263	271	207	30			904	In Work-house, 81		In separate Wards,		In Wards with other inmates, 3						
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	7	20	15	11	1			54	In Fever Hospital, 108										
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	176	243	256	196	29			850	Total, 189		Total, 3								

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain 500 Bedd, 100 Bridge House 250
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 26 day of Nov 1847

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Fri day, the 19 day of Nov 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt F. M. Shawe Taylor
Other Guardians: Lord Visct. Gort Wm. Gregory Jas. Cahiff
Ed Hunt E. O'Shaughnessy & D. J. Hyne M.D.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3957 to No. 4010, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £258.3.3
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £252.3.3
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 8.6.9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Boothaughwee	Kilinaeugh	15	19	1	19	12	11
John Slator	Beagh	40	12	3	158	2	5 3/4
do	Hiltanton	38	11	2	85	1	10 1/2
Boothaughwee	Kilivarra	13	10	8	292	13	5
Miche Taylor	Killeenavanna	24	19	5	196	19	6
do	Killeener	14	5	6	90	5	8
do	Ardrakan	38	16	.	218	18	9 1/2
John Slator	Hiltomer	11	12	10	40	2	11 1/2
Boothaughwee	Killeeacanty	3	11	9	89	12	.
do	HilKeedy	56	47	.	87	9	3
Total, -		258	3	3	1449	18	10 1/4

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 80. 11 s. 3 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, }	£ 80. 11. 3 1/2
Credit Invoice Account, }	-

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £88. 8. 4 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, }	£88. 8. 4 3/4
Credit Provision Account, }	-

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 2/0 1/4

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1900 lbs of Bread
- 3523 qts of Milk
- 89 lbs of Meat
- 2 Cts of Salt
- 1 Cts of Soap
- 2 St of Candles

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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Debit Clothing Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows :

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, / or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows :)

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, 18 Nov 1847, approving of the appointment of Schoolmistress

Letter from National Education office, 12 Nov 1847, forwarding report of their Inspector, on the Workhouse schools

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Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	-	-	-	21
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	-	-	7
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	-	-	28
Ditto, rejected	-	-	-	-	38

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Resolved that this Board has caused further Investigation to be made into the allegations set forth in the Petition of some Inhabitants of the Parish of Killeen forward on the 4th Inst. by the Poor Law Commissioners that the Relieving officer for that district has examined each case, and in every instance there was a refusal to enter the workhouse, that it was also stated by the Relieving officer, that he had seen nine families out of the twelve, enumerated in the Petition, who declared to him, that they had no knowledge of the petition in question, and consequently could not have given it the authority of their signatures.

Messrs Taylor & O'Shaughnessy collectors, having attended and laid lists of Rates amount £2 and upwards with the Parties names before the Board, orders were given to take immediate proceedings for Recovery thereof.

Resolved that our Clerk do make an application to the Secretary of the Irish Government for 100 suits of Barrack Bedding, for this workhouse, if the same can be spared from the Ordnance Department.

Mary Jennings late Hospital Nurse having applied for payment of salary due to her as follows,

Sep 1845	4.0.0
March 1846	2.0.0
Sep 1846	2.0.0
March 1847	2.0.0
Sep 1847	2.8.4
	<u>£ 12.8.4</u>

Resolved that a cheque be drawn for the above

Resolved that our clerk do pay Mary Jennings late Hospital Nurse 10/- for 1 month's salary from 29 Sep to 29 Oct.

John Slater Collector having applied for payment of Collectors fees due to him as follows.

March 1846	16.18.7
Sep 1846	3.5.6
March 1847	35.18.0
	<u>£ 56.2.1</u>

Resolved that a cheque be drawn for the above.

James Slater Clerk
 J. M. Shawe Taylor
 Esq
 Denis J. Myers

J. M. Shawe Taylor
 26th Nov 1847
 Chairman

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week SATURDAY, 20th day of Nov 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.					DIED.								
	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	
						Males.	Fe-males.													Males.
During the Week ended as above,	27	36	23	21	4	.	.	111	18	20	11	8	1	58	2	2	2	3	1	10
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	126	243	256	196	29	.	.	850	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	153	279	279	217	33	.	.	961												No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	20	22	13	11	2	.	.	68	In Work-house, 110		In separate Wards.		In Wards with other inmates.							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	133	257	266	206	31	.	.	893	In Fever Hospital, 105		3		Total, 3							

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain 500 Sheds, 100 Bridge House 250
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 3 day of Decr 1847

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tue day, the 20 day of November 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt F. M. Shawe Taylor
Other Guardians:
Lord Gort Ed. Hunt J. Daly C. Blaquiere
James Cahiff Pat O'Shaughnessy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4010 to No. 4117, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ _____

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ _____

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 8. 6. 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ _____ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Edw O'Shaughnessy	Kilmarduff				196	12	11
John Slator	Beagh				158	2	5 ¹ / ₂
do	Kiltator				85	1	10 ¹ / ₂
Edw O'Shaughnessy	Kinwara				292	13	5
W Taylor	Killeenavann				196	19	6
do	Killeween				90	5	8
do	Ardrakan				218	18	9 ¹ / ₂
John Slator	Kiltorney				140	2	11 ¹ / ₂
Edw O'Shaughnessy	Kilbeacanty				89	12	
do	KilKeedy				81	9	3
Total, -					1469	18	10 ¹ / ₂

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 82. 1. 6³/₄.

Debit Provision Account, }			
Credit Invoice Account, }			82. 1. 6 ³ / ₄

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 75. 7. 3¹/₂

Debit Maintenance Account, }			
Credit Provision Account, }			75. 7. 3 ¹ / ₂

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 2/10¹/₄

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1650 lbs of Bread
- 3364 qts of Milk
- 105¹/₂ lbs of Meat
- 1 Cwt of Soap
- 1 Cwt of Salt
- 28 lbs Candles

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.

Debit Clothing Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

Letter from Commissioners 18 Nov 1847, forwarding a letter from Patrick Greany, complaining of the Relieving officer, and his not visiting the Poor of the Parish of Killeen.

Read Circular from Commissioners 16 Nov 1847, respecting the expenses of Fever Hospitals supported by Union Funds, and directing weekly accounts to be furnished to the Guardians.

Resolved that the Commissioners be referred to our Resolution respecting the Killeen petition on our Minutes of the 19th Inst., that our Relieving officer state on his last visit to the Parish Tuesday the 23rd Inst. Pat^r Greany and 14 others attended, and they stated

their desire was to get Meal or 3^d a day each, but they would not become Inmates of the Workhouse. The Board also beg to state that from enquiries they have made, they are of opinion the letters do not emanate from the poor people, but from some person having a sinister object.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Passport Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	-	-	-	27
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	-	-	
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	-	-	112
Ditto, rejected	-	-	-	-	34

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Messrs Kyles and Deans plan of a Mill for grinding corn, to cost £35, having been laid before the Board and approved of, Resolved that the Mill be ordered from Messrs Kyles & Deane, and that they be requested to furnish full Instructions for erecting it. —

Resolved that Mich Ryan's proposal to erect a Boiler in the Bridge house Kitchen for the sum of Two pounds be agreed to, and that Mr Hunt be requested to provide him with materials Margaret Fox in charge of the Infant School having applied for payment of Salary due to her as follows —

September 1846	2.0.0
March — 1847	2.0.0
	<u>£ 4.0.0</u>

Resolved that a cheque be drawn for the above. —

Resolved that a cheque be drawn on our Treasurer in favour of our Clerk for the sum of Thirty pounds to pay for Indian Meal and to be accounted for. —

The Medical Officer, application for an increase of Salary, having been taken into consideration

Resolved that the Medical Officer's Salary be increased to £75 per Annum, to commence from the 1st of November Instant. —

Mr Richard Carr the brother of the late Matron having applied for Salary due to her as follows —

September 1846	9.0.0
March — 1847	9.0.0
25 May 1847	3.0.0
	<u>£ 21.0.0</u>

Resolved that a cheque be drawn for the above. —

F. M. Shaw Taylor
Chairman

Ed Hunt
Lahiff

James Stator
Clerk

Port UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 27 day of Nov 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.					
	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Fe-males. TOTAL	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL	Males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Fe-males aged 15 and upw ^d .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL
During the Week ended as above,	20	49	30	33	5	157	9	4	9	4	2	28	2	2	2	5	4	13
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	153	257	266	206	31	890	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	153	306	296	239	36	1050	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.									
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	9	6	11	9	6	41	In Work-house, 91	In separate Wards, 124	In Wards with other inmates, 3									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	144	300	285	230	30	984	Total, 215	Total, 3										

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 500. Sheds, 100. Bridge House 250. -
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 10 day of Decr 1847

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Fri day, the 3 day of Decr 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Capt J M S Taylor

Other Guardians:

Mrs Burke
Commis^r

Lord Gort & Mount & Blaquiere
Henry Cahiff James Cahiff

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 417 to No. 4274, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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